MINUTES OF THE INTERDEPARTMENTAL COORDINATING COMMITTEE OF CUBAN AFFAIRS

January 8, 1962

PARTICIPANTS:

STATE - Mr. Sterling J. Cottrell, Coordinator Mr. Robert A. Hurwitch, Deputy Coordinator

DEFENSE - Mr. Adam Yarmolinsky JUSTICE - Mr. Joe Dolan WHITE HOUSE - Mr. McGeorge Bundy HEALTH, ED., & WELFARE - Mr. Robert A. Kevan CIA - Mr. Richard Helms USIA - Mr. Hewson A. Ryan

SUBJECT: General Organization

1. The Coordinator outlined his interpretation of the NSAM (No. 213) establishing the Interdepartmental Coordinating Committee, and explained how he believed the work of the Committee should be accomplished. All members expressed agreement.

ACTION: None

The Coordinator noted that State and CIA had already provided him with lists of Cuban problems which need solution on an inter-agency basis. He requested that all other agencies present provide him with such a list, in order of priority. The Coordinator will then prepare a master list and start work on the problems.

ACTION: Defense, USIA, HEW, Justice

3. The Coordinator requested that each agency present supply him with the name of one officer who would be responsive to call from the Coordinator on operational problems.

ACTION: State, Defense, USIA, HEW, Justice

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